

**DOCTOR WHO
RADIO TIMES
THE AMBASSADORS OF DEATH**

ORIGINAL BROADCAST – 21 March to 2 May 1970

5.15 *Colour: New series*

Dr Who

starring **Jon Pertwee**

with

Caroline John

and

Nicholas Courtney

The Ambassadors of Death

by **DAVID WHITAKER**

Part 1: After months of silence, Mars Probe 7 is on its way back to Earth. But the Doctor suspects that something has gone terribly wrong in space . . .

Taltalian.....**ROBERT CAWDRON**

Van Lyden.....**RIC FELGATE**

Ralph Cornish.....**RONALD ALLEN**

Brigadier Lethbridge Stewart

NICHOLAS COURTNEY

John Wakefield...**MICHAEL WISHER**

Dr Who.....**JON PERTWEE**

Liz Shaw.....**CAROLINE JOHN**

Miss Rutherford

CHERYL MOLINEAUX

Carrington.....**JOHN ABINERI**

Grey.....**RAY ARMSTRONG**

Collinson.....**ROBERT ROBERTSON**

Title music by **RON GRAINER**
and the **BBC Radiophonic Workshop**
Incidental music by **DUDLEY SIMPSON**
Visual effects **PETER DAY**
and **IAN SCOONES**

Costumes **CHRISTINE RAWLINS**

Make-up **MARION RICHARDS**

Script editor **TERRANCE DICKS**

Designer **DAVID MYERSCOUGH-JONES**

Producer **BARRY LETTS**

Directed by **MICHAEL FERGUSON** †

5.40 *Colour*

The Debbie Reynolds Show

Another hilarious episode in the life of the delectable

Debbie Reynolds

starring as **Debbie Thompson**

with the family she delights, mystifies, and maddens . . .

Husband Jim.....**DON CHASTAIN**

Sister Charlotte....**PATRICIA SMITH**

Brother-in-law Bob.....**TOM BOSLEY**

Nephew Bruce.....**BOBBY RIHA**

This week:

Diamonds are a Girl's Worst Friend . . . proved right up to the hilt in a gem of a story!

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Part 2: Cornish and his team continue their efforts to save the astronauts and the Doctor fights enemies who seem determined to prevent them from succeeding.

Dr Who.....JON PERTWEE
Liz Shaw.....CAROLINE JOHN
Taltalian.....ROBERT CAWDRON
Ralph Cornish.....RONALD ALLEN
Brigadier Lethbridge Stewart

NICHOLAS COURTNEY

Dobson.....JUAN MORENO
Cpl Champion.....JAMES HASWELL
Collinson.....ROBERT ROBERTSON
Miss Rutherford

CHERYL MOLINEAUX

John Wakefield...MICHAEL WISHER
Control Room assistant

BERNARD MARTIN

Carrington.....JOHN ABINERI
Grey.....RAY ARMSTRONG
Quinlan.....DALLAS CAVELL
Van Lyden.....RIC FELGATE

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Casanova's Kittens . . . thereby
hangs a tale of the tell-tale tails!

6.5 *Colour*

The News

Weatherman **BERT FOORD**

5.20 *Colour*

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Part 3: The mystery of the missing astronauts deepens and the Doctor's investigations put Liz in terrible danger.

Liz Shaw.....CAROLINE JOHN

Van Lyden.....RIC FELGATE

Ralph Cornish.....RONALD ALLEN

Dr Who.....JON PERTWEE

Brigadier Lethbridge Stewart

NICHOLAS COURTNEY

Astronauts.....STEVE PETERS

NEVILLE SIMONS

Heldorf.....GORDON STERNE

Carrington.....JOHN ABINERI

Quinlan.....DALLAS CAVELL

Reegan.....WILLIAM DYSART

Lennox.....CYRIL SHAPS

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Part 4: With Liz a prisoner, the enemy plan an attempt on the Doctor's life. Quinlan promises to tell the full truth – but by now it is too late.

Liz Shaw.....CAROLINE JOHN

Lennox.....CYRIL SHAPS

Astronauts.....RIC FELGATE

STEVE PETERS, NEVILLE SIMONS

Masters.....JOHN LORD

Reegan.....WILLIAM DYSART

Brigadier Lethbridge Stewart

NICHOLAS COURTNEY

General Carrington...JOHN ABINERI

Dr Who.....JON PERTWEE

Taltalian.....ROBERT CAWDRON

Ralph Cornish.....RONALD ALLEN

Quinlan.....DALLAS CAVELL

Unit soldier.....MAX FAULKNER

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Part 5: The Doctor prepares to blast off, unaware that his rocket has been sabotaged. In space a new danger awaits him.

First Astronaut.....RIC FELGATE

Quinlan.....DALLAS CAVELL

Dr Who.....JON PERTWEE

Brigadier Lethbridge Stewart

NICHOLAS COURTNEY

Liz Shaw.....CAROLINE JOHN

Lennox.....CYRIL SHAPS

Astronauts.....STEVE PETERS

NEVILLE SIMONS

Sergeant Benton.....JOHN LEVENE

Reegan.....WILLIAM DYSART

Flynn.....TONY HARWOOD

Ralph Cornish.....RONALD ALLEN

General Carrington..JOHN ABINERI

Control Room Assistants

JOANNA ROSS, CARL CONWAY

Private Parker.....JAMES CLAYTON

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Part 6: On board the Alien space ship the Doctor learns the full truth at last. Cornish and the Brigadier await the Doctor's return – but so does Reegan – with a plan to silence him.

Control Room assistant

JOANNA ROSS

Ralph Cornish.....RONALD ALLEN

Dr Who.....JON PERTWEE

Brigadier Lethbridge Stewart

NICHOLAS COURTNEY

Alien Captain.....PETER NOEL COOK

Alien's voice.....PETER HALLIDAY

Michaels.....NEVILLE SIMONS

Van Lyden.....RIC FELGATE

Lefee.....STEVE PETERS

General Carrington..JOHN ABINERI

Control Room assistant

CARL CONWAY

Liz Shaw.....CAROLINE JOHN

Reegan.....WILLIAM DYSART

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Part 7: General Carrington goes ahead with his plan to provoke a Space War. Only the Doctor can prevent him. But the Doctor is a prisoner and the Brigadier is powerless to rescue him.

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General Carrington..JOHN ABINERI

Dr Who.....JON PERTWEE

Reegan.....WILLIAM DYSART

Astronauts.....RIC FELGATE

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JOANNA ROSS

Brigadier Lethbridge Stewart

NICHOLAS COURTNEY

Ralph Cornish.....RONALD ALLEN

John Wakefield...MICHAEL WISHER

Private Johnson

GEOFFREY BEEVERS

Sergeant Benton.....JOHN LEVENE

Alien Captain....PETER NOEL COOK

Aliens' voices.....PETER HALLIDAY

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